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Date: September 27, 2004By: Kay L. GavrilidPATENT
Docket No. GC 584-2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)

Rao et al.)

Group Art Unit: 1652

Serial No.: 09/656,640)

Examiner: Rao, Manjunath

Filed: September 07, 2000)

For: PHENOL OXIDIZING ENZYME
VARIANTS)PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to respond to the Office Action
dated March 30, 2004:

one month to _____; the extension fee is \$110.00.

two months to _____; the extension fee is \$420.00.

three months to September 30, 2004; the extension fee is \$950.00.

four months to _____; the extension fee is \$1,480.00.

five months to _____; the extension fee is \$2,010.00.

The extended time for response does not exceed the statutory period.

☐ The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action
dated _____.

☒ Charge \$950.00 to Deposit Account No. 07-1048.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1048 (Docket No. GC584-2). A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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